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REPORT OF THE

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POST-GRADUATE HOSPITAL

303 East 20th Street, New York

A wonderful man, whose influence on the whole world was far reaching, has left us as his watchword through which he accomplished almost boundless good,—the motto—*"Attempt great things—Expect great things"*—and surely all of us who are interested in the Babies' Wards should take it for our inspiration as well. For many months we have been watching the greatest war of modern times devastating a large part of Europe. Those of us whose hearts were touched by the piteous cries of suffering, of starving, of dying men, women and children, have given to them of our strength, our thoughts, our abundance, possibly overlooking home appeals with the thought, "Oh, but the War makes so many claims on us." Then even across the wide ocean the noises of the falling walls of burning villages, of the explosion of shells and fiery bombs, of the groans of the tortured and wounded have come to us in such great volumes of sound, that it has seemed impossible that the feeble cry of a tiny suffering baby at our very doors should be heard.

And so when a year ago the Babies' Wards had reached the point, that either much needed improvements and additions must be planned for, or else we must realize

the sad fact that we could no longer accomplish the best possible results for the little ones entrusted to our care —people said—"It is impossible to raise money now. Let the Babies' Wards rest on their oars for the present. Wait till the War is over and suffering and misery are exchanged for peace and plenty. When the lion and the lamb are lying down together, then you can appeal for more shelter for dying babies."

But even in the midst of War's alarms the time had come to attempt great things for the sufferers at our doors, and some of us had faith to expect great things. In their last Report the Babies' Wards gave a little summary of the work accomplished in them—during the 30 years of their existence—for more than 28,000 sick children and 10,000 graduate doctors,—and appealed to all those interested in the alleviation of infant suffering to provide means for the enlargements and improvements so urgently needed. But a few weeks had passed when the beautiful, the most welcome news was brought by one of our Managers—that a friend who desired to erect a noble and permanent memorial to a husband some of whose last thoughts had been of saving the little ones around him on the great sinking ship—had visited the Wards and offered to give $100,000 to building the *Alfred Vanderbilt Memorial Annex* which for years to come should alleviate the frightful, the mysterious sufferings of many of the poor friendless children of this great city, and should save countless baby lives;—a monument more precious than one of the costliest marble. Time has necessarily been spent in investigating the latest methods of hospital construction throughout the country, and also in endeavors to solve the most difficult problem of drawing plans to provide the best accommodations possible

in the comparatively limited space which a hospital in the great tenement-house district of this crowded city must occupy, but we believe that before another Report shall be due our long hoped for Annex, which shall make practicable so much better work and shall help to save so many young lives will be a realized ideal.

And now that possibilities are opening out so brightly before us, which our surgeons and physicians are preparing to seize upon as they materialize—we would call upon you all most earnestly for the present help which we need from every Manager, from all our friends. Let us remember that men and women who are forever seeing difficulties and never seeing a way to get over them are always a source of weakness and not of strength.

There are no faults or mistakes in details which cannot be remedied through careful investigations, through warm sympathies and through clever brains. What we need most now is the personal help of women who are interested in the alleviation of infant suffering in the broadest ways. We want new members for a Committee on the Admission Department to supervise the enlarging work which is being done there. The great advantages of the Wards must be brought more clearly before the large number of district nurses and the poor and ignorant parents of the crowded East Side region, and their natural reluctance to bring a baby to the traditional hospital must be sympathetically overcome. We want new members for the Committee on our own District Nurse, to consult with her over the best ways of helping difficult home cases, to develop new and valuable lines of Social Service, etc.

And we specially want new members for our Nursing and House Committees that the Wards may be carefully

visited by each of those committees—at least twice a week—that our weak places may be found out and strengthened and our strong ones encouraged, and that friendly help and advice may be given in every department. Nothing can take the place of conscientious friendly volunteer visiting to supplement the hard work of Doctors and Nurses in a Babies' Hospital. They must fight so ceaselessly for the lives of our little patients that it is on our visitors we must depend to supply the cheer, the encouragement, the kindly sympathy which are not only a vital part in the cure of sick children, but which are the greatest help to our Nurses as well. There is special work waiting for each one of you which without *your* help must be left undone, and which is well worth your doing even though it means the giving to it of a few hours from your crowded lives and though it does involve some real sacrifice on your part.

You have perhaps walked hastily through our pleasant Wards and have been greeted by the smiling faces of our convalescents, by the cooing sounds of the tiny babies, and even by the sobs of some "discharged cured" patients who "don't want to go away," and you were tempted to say, "Oh, things look so very comfortable that I don't believe I am needed here." But if you would listen to only two or three of the histories of the "cases" from the note book of our valued head nurse, you would begin to realize the countless details of work in every direction which must be attended to before such results can be obtained.

Catharine G., a little Italian girl with snapping black eyes, was brought to us in a most pitiable state from severe burns, the result of an accident The father had deserted his family and the mother went out daily to

work, leaving the care of seven children to a 10-year-old daughter. In their struggling efforts "to help keep house for Mommer" a pail of almost boiling cocoa was spilt over poor Catharine, burning her face, shoulder and arm terribly. Her sufferings were very great, but borne with that wonderful patience so often shown by the young children of the very poor. Many different forms of treatment and of alleviating remedies were tried—part of the treatment consisting curiously in exposing the burned surfaces for long periods to the rays of the sun—and she has completely recovered with but a moderate scar on her face and a small one on her shoulder. Her convalescence in our Wards was helped by her joy and interest over the prospect of a trip to the country, which she had never seen, as she was promised a month in the Home at Sea Cliff as soon as she could bear the journey.

Gedelio H.—A baby of Hebrew parentage, coming from a home of great privation, was admitted very ill with pneumonia. A temperature of 105° lasted for days, and the doctors had slight hope of her recovery. Empyema developed, an operation was necessary and the most unceasing care, skill and watchfulness on the part of both doctors and nurses alone saved the child. The baby is gaining rapidly now, and will soon be able to be consigned to the hospitable arms of the Speedwell Society at Morristown. A sister of this baby, Dora, was brought to us last summer very ill with pleurisy, but she also made a hard fight and a splendid recovery.

We have with us now Charley J., a dear little fellow, one of the many victims of Infantile Paralysis last summer. He was treated then in a hospital for contagious cases and discharged with both legs and the muscles of his back badly paralyzed. Sometime after he had been

sent home, he developed pneumonia and was brought to the Babies' Wards. He was in a very poor condition to make the hard fight needed against that disease, but he is now gaining every day, though it is sad to watch him with the fear that he may never be able to walk like other children. When, however, he is stronger and better able to stand it, he will have massage and the "after care" treatment for paralysis, and there is good hope he may be helped.

Lillie L.—a pretty little brown-eyed baby, six months old, the only child, was brought to us last September very sick with Enteritis. A few months previous the father had gone to serve in the Italian army, necessarily leaving his wife and baby to get along as best they could. The mother went out to work, the baby being cared for first by one neighbor then another, till she became ill and was brought to us. This baby made a hard fight for recovery and with proper treatment and, most important of all perhaps, proper feeding, the battle was won. It was a happy event when she was returned to her overjoyed mother, and left for the future daily with one of the hospitable nurseries—she will undoubtedly keep well. Mike B.—a blue-eyed, fair-haired, most appealing little boy came last October—Mike's brother had died a few weeks before with Infantile Paralysis. When they brought this baby to the Wards the parents were almost distracted, for he was their only child left. After the doctors had carefully examined him, they found the trouble was Meningitis. He responded splendidly to the long and most skilful treatment and the good nursing, and after many weeks has lately been returned to his happy parents quite well again. Runo H.—a frail little baby boy was admitted to the Wards last summer, suffer-

ing from a very bad abscess in the hip. His twin brother had died a few weeks previous and it seemed almost impossible to save this delicate little fellow. He bore his severe sufferings most patiently and soon won the love of doctors and nurses as well as of many visitors. After long weeks of pain this tiny boy began to improve, fresh air in the Roof Garden brought roses once more to his cheeks, and he went home not long ago quite well."

Special thanks are due to the Social Service Committee which continued last year its most liberal and highly valued gift for the salary of our Visiting Nurse, Miss Townsend, whose Annual Report follows:

Our warm gratitude should be expressed to the Country Home for Convalescent Babies at Sea Cliff, which during the past season gave admirable care to so many of our convalescents, 51 in number. Also to the Speedwell Society, which again took 21 of our tiniest ones, too young and often in too serious a condition to be accepted by any other home. By placing them out in families at Morristown under the supervision of a trained nurse many young lives have been saved. The severe epidemic of Infantile Paralysis last summer greatly hampered, however, all fresh air work for young children. The help given by the Junior Auxiliary, by the Babies' Wards Guild and by the Social Service Committee, reports of which follow, has been really inestimable. We must also add our hearty thanks to the countless associations and individual workers in New York and throughout the country, whose generous efforts have furnished so many of the innumerable articles needed each year in a Babies' Hospital, while back of all these and underlying them all, deepest gratitude is due to the many

generous friends upon whose pecuniary gifts the very existence of the Wards has rested.

The most pressing need of the Babies' Wards at present is a greatly *increased number of annual subscriptions and special donations, large and small.* On these depend the salaries of our head nurse and assistant, with that of the examining room nurse, the provision for the emergency wet nurse so often needed and for all extra help when the Wards are crowded, the purchase of medical and surgical appliances and a thousand small ward necessities. We employ no collector and send out no circulars to the general public. We do not need to remind you of the greatly increased cost of living and that it requires nearly double what it did ten years ago to carry on a Babies' Hospital properly. There is no lack of means in our great country which is richer than ever before. The streets and shops of our crowded city have shown for the past six weeks a condition of wonderful prosperity. Merchants are almost unanimous in saying that the greatest demand for Christmas gifts has been for something "very choice and unique, never mind the price." Oh, my dear friends, let us remember that infant lives are very choice and unique and that it is when you are giving for one of the least of these that you are giving directly unto their Lord Himself.

Second. Gifts of *clothing,* new or old, will be most acceptable and we would earnestly beg that sewing classes, schools and individuals, not only in this city but also throughout the country would remember this special want. Full particulars are given in the appendix following. Gifts of toys, especially rag dolls and rattles and of fruit and home-made jellies are greatly needed, and most of all the help of visitors to amuse the little

ones, recovering from severe operations and to sing to our babies.

Third. We are anxious to secure during the coming year the *promise* of enough supported beds by the gift of $200 annually to provide for the cribs in the new Wards, which will be opened when our Annex is ready, as well as to make good any vacancy which may occur through the occasional giving-up of a bed in our present Wards.

Subscriptions and donations should be drawn to the order of *Mrs. John A. Hartwell, Treasurer of the Ladies' Auxiliary for the Babies' Wards, 27 East 63d Street, New York;* checks for Supported Beds should be drawn to the order of Mrs. John A. Hartwell, Treasurer, but sent to the Chairman of Committee on Supported Beds, *Mrs. Henry P. Davison, 12 West 51st Street, New York,* who has charge of all correspondence relating to Supported Beds, and who will at once return a letter of acknowledgment.

This simple Report gives but a too feeble glimpse of the 1,600 little patients who seek a refuge each year in the Babies' Wards. It tells you nothing, however, of the sufferings of the thousands of such children scattered throughout our great country, whose cure has been made possible through the skill and experience acquired here by the myriads of doctors (who have come from even its most distant boundaries) to study in the great *Post-Graduate Teaching Hospital.* Our needs are heard by a handful of interested friends, but I call upon you who listen to them—in the strongest words I can utter—to bring them as you can to the ears of prosperous America, whose total war profits are reckoned to be over $2,400,000,000, yet whose gifts for the sick and dying

within her own borders have been less during the past year than for five years preceding. At this writing every crib in the Wards is filled. Many of the cases are of great severity and the sight of the pain endured by these innocent young children born by no fault of their own into cold and hunger and poverty and misery, is heart-rending.

Let us bring to these little ones first of all that gift of myrrh which was brought to the heavenly Babe of old, through whose birth the world was to be saved, the gift of oneself with the self-sacrifice and suffering that gift must involve. The Babies' Wards need *you,* the young girl whose fresh unclouded life can bring a cheer and happiness to the children which they have never yet known. They need *you,* the woman in the prime of life whose very interest and experience in a thousand other good things make your help on our working committees of the greatest value. They need *you* whose time of working activity may be passing but whose sympathy, prayers and good words carry an influence with them that is of the greatest assistance. To do our whole duty now means not only self-sacrifice on our part but also much courage to bring the great needs of sick children to the hearts of those who do not yet realize them, but in such a world as this courage is the only safety. God being with us, who can be against us? It is our part to welcome responsibility, to crave the difficult work, to seek the dangerous duty, for these are our divinest opportunities of service and growth.

"Look forward; brighter seems the way,
Onward press ever day by day,
Courage should now our watchword be,
And hope lead on to victory."

ELLA E. RUSSELL,

Chairman of Ladies' Auxiliary
for the Babies' Wards.

Visitors are always welcome at the Babies' Wards Post-Graduate Hospital, 303 East 20th Street, after 11 A.M., but Friday afternoons from two until four o'clock are especially set apart for their reception. Inquiries as to the work and its needs may be addressed to chairman of Ladies' Auxiliary, Babies' Wards.

BABIES

Number of cases remaining in the Babies' Wards, October 1, 1914.....	38	
Number of cases received from October 1, 1915, to October 1, 1916.....	1,423	
	———	1,461
Number of cases cured.....	770	
" " improved	342	
" " unimproved	78	
" " died	181	
" " transferred	32	
" " otherwise discharged....	35	
" " under treatment.....	23	
	———	1,461

The large number of deaths in the Babies' Wards is due to the fact that the curability of the infant is not considered on its admission. If it can be made more comfortable during its last days, even if it be entirely incurable, it is received into the Hospital as a matter of humanity.

Number of days' Hospital care given to Babies' Wards cases, October, 1915, to October, 1916.	15,515

SUMMER.

REPORT OF VISITING NURSE FOR 1916

Mrs. Henry R. Hoyt
Chairman of Committee on Visiting Homes, etc.

From January 1, 1916, to December 1, 1916, 2,120 visits were made.

My work during the past year has been more or less hampered by the epidemic of Poliomyelitis which raged in Greater New York during the past summer and terrified many of our families.

I am glad to report, however, that I find conditions on the East Side somewhat improved, although there is still plenty of room for improvement.

Many of our mothers know nothing about the advantages of fresh air, cleanliness, and ventilation. In many instances nine or ten people live in three or four small rooms, sleep between feather ticks with their doors and windows hermetically sealed.

Frequently on visiting the home after a baby has been discharged from our wards, I am met with this question, "Nurse, why the baby no sleep?"

I try to explain to these mothers that babies who have too little oxygen or sunshine, who breathe air with gas in it, or odors from soiled clothes, from decaying food and unwashed people will never be healthy and able to resist disease.

I believe a great deal can be accomplished in this way, for to me the love of the foreign parents for their children really is wonderful. Many a time have I seen fathers and mothers alike denying themselves the bare necessities of life to provide a little better for their children.

During the past year 74 children were sent to the various convalescent homes; this does not include Sea Cliff or Speedwell Society.

I feel, however, that I cannot speak too kindly of St. John's Guild, who during the entire summer opened their doors to our sick and convalescent babies. It was a means of saving more than one of our little ones, for with Speedwell Society closed, our little bottle fed babies would have been obliged to return to their various homes, irrespective of conditions there.

I would like to say that I am very grateful to the Social Service Committee for gifts of clothing, money for fresh air work and for general relief, also for the kind interest shown during the past year.

Through the kindness of friends eight Thanksgiving dinners were distributed to our most needy families.

Funds from Social Service Committee: $50 for fresh air work and $40 for general expenses.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE B. TOWNSEND,
Visiting Nurse.

REPORT OF CLOTHING COMMITTEE FOR 1916-1917

Friends of the Babies' Wards have been very kind and generous in contributing garments for the children, and this year we especially need aid, as the cost of materials and necessary ready-made garments and shoes have increased so considerably, that without these gifts from our friends, we would be unable to keep a reserve stock, and even this has to be on a much less liberal scale than during past years.

We hope all the Managers will speak to their friends, interesting them in our work, either to send us garments or to subscribe to our fund. Unless our subscription list is increased we will not have sufficient money to continue the very high standard we have maintained, in every detail, concerning the clothing of the children.

Respectfully submitted,

ADELINE CARTER STEERS,
Chairman.

January 12, 1917.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF CLOTHING FUND FOR BABIES' WARDS OF THE POST-GRADUATE HOSPITAL

1916-1917. Jan. 1st.
Balance on hand, brought forward..... $696.15
Received from Subscriptions:

Mrs. J. L. Barclay	$ 5.00	Mrs. Talmage	$ 5.00
Mrs. Joseph Pulitzer	10.00	Mrs. Edey	5.00
Mrs. R. H. Williams	10.00	Mrs. Sloane	5.00
Mrs. Chauncey	5.00	Mr. Edgar	5.00
Mrs. James	5.00	Dr. Remsen	10.00
Mrs. Warren	10.00	Mrs. Frelinghuysen	5.00
Mrs. Hoyt	10.00	Mrs. W. E. Strong	5.00
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Mrs. Trowbridge	5.00	Mrs. Henry Redmond	10.00
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Mrs. Ansel Phelps	5.00	Mr. Henry B. Babcock	10.00	
Mrs. C. C. Cuyler	10.00	Mrs. Henry Parish	5.00	400.00
				$1,096.15
Paid Adeline Steers, June 14, 1916			$300.00	
" " " Dec. 22, 1916			100.00	
" for Printing			7.00	407.00
Dec. 31st. Balance on hand to date				$689.15

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH REMSEN BURNHAM,
Treasurer.

6 West 53d Street.

APPENDIX

ARTICLES OF CLOTHING NOW MOST URGENTLY NEEDED AT THE BABIES' WARDS.

Patterns for clothing will be furnished on application to Chairman of Clothing Committee, Mrs. Henry Steers, Porchester, New York.

Babies' White Muslin Slips, simply made. Socks, Cotton Diapers, Flannel Bands.

Short Dresses of either pink or blue gingham. Short White Flannel Skirts, made with cotton waists. Muslin Drawers, all for children from one to six years old. Night Gowns, muslin or flannel.

Flannel Shirts, for children from ten months to six years old. These *must* have high necks and long sleeves. Shoes, Stockings, Crocheted Bed Slippers, pink or blue. Handkerchiefs.

Warm Cloaks for babies, and Outside Jackets and Hats for children for Roof Garden.

Pads, 27 by 36 inches, of unbleached muslin, with interlining of cotton battling firmly quilted in.

Coverlets, 1 yard by 1½ yards, white cheesecloth, with double interlining of cotton batting; button-holed round the edges and caught down in tufts with pink or blue washing crewel. A special need.

Half Worn Clothing and Old Blankets for children convalescents discharged from the Wards. An old overcoat or shawl is sometimes the only article brought to cover a discharged child recovering from pneumonia.

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY COMMITTEE FOR 1916

The Junior Auxiliary Committee has, as usual, supported a bed in the Babies' Wards, supplied the Thanksgiving and Christmas Dinners and filled the Christmas stockings. The children have had their weekly treat of ice-cream, and the toy boxes have been replenished with fresh toys. Through one of our members, 100 garments were sent in from the Needlework Guild and from a friend twenty-five dollars to be spent on some special need for the babies.

The Auxiliary Committee supports only one bed by its annual dues, but four other beds are given by individual members,—one in perpetuity. We are anxious to increase our membership and thus be able to support a second bed. The Annual Dues are $5.00, $10.00 or $25.00, and eight $25.00 members would pay for a bed for one year.

Applications for membership may be sent to the Secretary, Mrs. Wm. A. Purrington, 43 West 11th Street, New York City; contributions of money to Mrs. Charles E. Brugler, Lakewood, N. J., and toys and jellies directly to the Babies' Wards, care Miss Salmond.

We always need new toys to replenish the ever-emptying toy-cupboards, and home-made jellies are gratefully received and are much enjoyed by our little patients.

For the Junior Auxiliary Committee,

MARY P. HAYDEN,
President.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY COMMITTEE

MEMBERS

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REPORT OF THE BABIES' WARDS GUILD

The record of the Babies' Wards Guild for the past year is much like that of previous years. The Guild has as usual furnished all the linen used in the Wards, and has continued to support its bed in the Innocenti Ward.

To meet the increased cost of materials and to add to our general fund a very successful tea was given early in the winter for which the Secretary, Mrs. Pisek, kindly opened her house.

It is probable that during the coming year more supplies will be needed than ever before in the Wards and to fulfill our obligations as we wish a larger number of both Associate and Active members will be required. We shall be glad therefore to welcome anyone who feels inclined to take part in this pleasant and useful work of ours.

ADELE F. LLOYD,
Chairman.

LIST OF WORK—1916

180	Spreads
4	Mother's Sheets
8	Mother's Pillow Slips
59	Pads
18	Screen-sheets
116	Draught Curtains
139	Crib Sheets
36	Bassinette Sheets
42	Crib Pillow Slips
24	Bassinette Pillow Slips
120	Washcloths
92	Hand Towels
76	Doctor's Hand Towels
60	Diet Kitchen Towels
48	Operating Room Towels
49	Kitchen Towels
1,071	

MEMBERS OF BABIES' WARDS GUILD

ACTIVE MEMBERS—1916

Mrs. A. F. Clarke
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Mrs. Roger Dennett
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Mrs. Wesley G. Vincent
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REPORT OF SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

At the first meeting of the Social Service Committee of the Babies' Wards of the Post-Graduate Hospital, held at the residence of Mrs. Orme Wilson, Jr., on December 5, 1916, the resignation of Mrs. David Wagstaff was tendered and accepted with much regret. Mrs. Courtlandt Nicoll was elected chairman in her place.

During the past year, thanks to the efforts of Mrs. Thayer Robb, 34 new members, consisting largely of girls not yet out, have joined the Committee, so that our total membership now reaches 111.

The raffling of the Ford car brought in $1,306, and as Mrs. Charles Auchincloss, the winner, very kindly gave back the car to the Committee, we had no expense, and the profit was clear.

The work of the district nurse, Miss Townsend, has been most satisfactory; during the year from January 1st to December 1st, 1916, 2,120 visits were made, and 74 children placed in convalescent homes.

The Committee made the usual arrangements for Christmas, and several members were present at the party.

To raise the funds for the coming year, the Entertainment Committee has decided upon a rummage sale to be held at the Ritz on February 2d, and is relying most earnestly on the help of the Ladies' Auxiliary in making it successful.

Respectfully submitted,

Ione Nicoll,
Chairman.

Mrs. Courtlandt Nicoll, *Chairman,*
340 Lexington Avenue, New York City.
Mrs. Orme Wilson, Jr., *Vice-Chairman,*
11 East 64th Street, New York City.
Miss Dorothy Kane, *Secretary,*
Tuxedo Park, New York.
Miss Margaret Steward, *Treasurer.*
57 East 58th Street, New York City.

SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

Mrs. CHARLES C. AUCHINCLOSS, *Chairman, Ward Visiting Committee*
Miss ADRIENNE ISELIN, *Christmas Treats Committee*
Miss CLARA RICHARDS, *Chairman, Toy Committee*
Miss LOIS SCOVILLE, *Chairman, Clothing Committee*
Miss RIVES, *Chairman, Drives Committee*

MEMBERS

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Miss Leela Burden
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Miss Beatrice Byrne
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Miss Eleanor Coward
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Miss Louisa D. Coyswell
Miss Alice Davison
Miss Frances Field
Miss Celestine Goddard
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REPORT OF TREASURER—LADIES' AUXILIARY COMMITTEE

Babies' Wards—Post-Graduate Hospital

From Oct. 1, 1915 *to Oct.* 1, 1916

RECEIPTS.

Balance, Cash on Hand, October 1, 1915..		$4,178.44
Certificate of Deposit with Farmer's Loan and Trust Co.....		10,000.00
		14,178.44
Received for Support of Beds....	$7,900.00	
" from Annual Subscriptions	3,389.00	
" from Donations	2,957.55	
Miscellaneous Receipts.....	174.11	
Interest Bank Deposits.....	453.33	14,873.99
		$29,052.43

Audited and found correct,
E. Gunnell.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Post Graduate Hospital		
For Support of Beds in Babies' Wards	$7,900.00	
Salaries (Head Nurses & Special Nurses, Babies' Wards).	2,224.43	$10,124.43
Special Expenses:		
Emergencies and Extra Help..	747.50	
Visitor and Relief.....	1,110.00	
Fresh Air Tickets and Drives.	73.05	
Printing, Postage & Stationery	262.75	
Ward Furnishings.....	949.28	
Repairs	1,405.80	
Sundries	193.89	4,742.27
Total		$14,866.70
Balance, Cash on Hand, October 1, 1916		
Farmers' Loan & Trust Company Checking account.....	$4,185.73	
Certificate of Deposit, Farmers' Loan & Trust Company....	10,000.00	14,185.73
		$29,052.43

Beds Supported in Perpetuity in Babies' Wards.

The St. Ursula Bed, by the St. Ursula Society of St. Jame's Protestant Episcopal Church.
The Victoria Bed, by Mrs. Edward King.
A Little Angel's Bed, by Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon King, in loving memory of their little daughter, Mary LeRoy King.
In Memory of Marie Louise Reed, by Mrs. J. Van Dusen Reed.
The Little Morris Bed, by Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dodge, Jr.
In Memory of Charlotte Winthrop Cram, by Mr. Henry S. Cram.
The T. R. U. S. T. Society, through Mrs. John Hall.
In Memory of Fritz e de Bary, by Mrs. Adolphe de Bary.
In Memory of Emelie Vanderbilt Burden, by Mrs. James A. Burden, Jr.
In Memory of "Mrs. M. B. McNeil, who loved little children," by bequest of Mrs. Elizaheth B. Smith.
In Loving Memory of Nathaniel Church Scoville, Jr., 1899, by Miss Grace Scoville.
In Memory of Jefferson Hogan, Jr., by Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Hogan.
In Memory of Nathaniel Church Scoville, Jr., 1887, by Miss Grace Scoville.
In Memory of Mrs. Edward P. Dickie, by Edward P. Dickie, Esq.
The Mary Colden King Bed, by Miss Ellen King.
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In Memory R. B. } A Friend.
In Memory of Little Anna, } A Friend.
The Birthday Bed, by Mrs. Andrew Carnegie.
Mrs. Samuel Coleman, by Bequest.
In Memory of Henry Eckford de Kay, by Mrs. R. T. Auchmuty.
A bed is partially endowed by gift of $1,000 by Juliet Snow.
Mr. Nathaniel Whitman.
The Lura Currier Bed.
In Memory Charles and Charlotte Dellinger, 1912.
In Memory of Mrs. Gustav Heye, by Mrs. James Clemens.
Alastair Martin Bed—1916, by Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Martin, Jr.

Beds Supported in Babies' Wards Annually by Gift of $200.00.

Mrs. William Douglas Sloane
Junior Auxiliary Committee.
In Memory of Horace J. Hayden.
In Memory of Mrs. Gustave Heye, by her children.
Mrs. John R. Drexel, 2 beds.
Mrs. Charles B. Alexander.
Mrs. Henry R. Hoyt.
Mrs. Robert C. Black.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mortimer.
Babies' Wards Guild.
Mrs. C. B. Taylor, in Memory of Clara Payne Bacon.
Mrs. Ogden Mills, 3 beds.
Mrs. James Roosevelt, Baby Franklin Bed.
Mrs. Goodhue Livingston, in loving Memory of her Mother and Father, Cornelia Thayer and James Hampden Robb.
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Social Service Committee, 2 beds.
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A Friend in Memory of Mathilda.
Mr. Goodhue Livingston, in Memory of Robert Edward Livingston and Susan de Peyster Livingston.
In Loving Memory of Salem Towne Russell and Adaline Davis, his wife, supported by their daughters.
Mr. Theodore W. Vail.
Mr. George F. Baker.

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	$3,389.00

DONATIONS

From October 1, 1915, *to October* 1, 1916

A friend, through Mrs. Oliver Harriman.....	$25.00
Bequest for "some little babies," from the estate of George A. Jackson, Esq., through Dr. George E. Doty	467.05
Mrs. William M. Baldwin, through Miss Russell....	10.00
Miss Alice Baldwin, through Miss Russell	1.00
Miss Ruth Baldwin, through Miss Russell	4.00
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Mrs. M. P. Fearing, through Mrs. Hayden.....	20.00
Miss C. Gilchrist.....	5.00
Mrs. Oliver Harriman, for the Babies' Christmas....	50.00
Mrs. Horace J. Hayden, for Maids' Christmas Fund..	2.00
Mrs. Horace J. Hayden, from sale of 4 cork bags.	5.50

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Miss Mary Frances Scoville.	100.00
Social Service Committee, Salary of District Nurse for 1916.....	960.00
Mrs. C. B. Taylor, "In Memory of Clara Payne Bacon"	10.00
Mrs. C. B. Taylor, for Christmas for child in Clara Payne Bacon Bed.	10.00
Miss Marie L. Tillotson...	50.00
Washington Congregational S. S., Warren B. Mitchell, Treasurer, through Miss Russell	30.00
Washington Congregational S. S., Warren B. Mitchell, Treasurer, through Miss Russell	6.00
Washington Congregational S. S., Special, through Miss Russell.....	27.00
Mr. Chandler White.....	5.00
Mr. Nathaniel Whitmen....	100.00
Mrs. Peter B. Wyckoff.....	10.00
	$2,957.55

SUPPORT OF BEDS

From October 1, 1915 *to October* 1, 1916

Mrs. Charles B. Alexander.	$200.00
Babies' Wards Guild, Half Subscription for Bed.....	100.00
Babies' Wards Guild.....	200.00
Mrs. Robert C. Black.....	200.00
Mr. George F. Baker, thro' Mrs. Beaman.....	200.00
Mrs. George Blumenthal....	200.00
Mrs. James B. Clemens....	200.00
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Mrs. George G. Frelinghuysen and Mrs. Richard H. Williams	200.00
Mrs. Horace J. Hayden....	200.00
Mrs. Jefferson Hogan.....	200.00
Mrs. Henry R. Hoyt.....	200.00
"In loving memory of Salem Towne Russell and Adaline, his wife, December, 1915." Supported by their Daughters	200.00
"In Memory of Matilda"..	200.00
Mrs. David B. Ivison.....	200.00
Mrs. Walter B. James.....	200.00
Junior Auxiliary.....	200.00
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Miss Mary Frances Scoville	200.00
Mrs. William D. Sloane....	200.00
Social Service Committee, 2 beds	400.00
Mrs. Victor Sorchan and Mrs. H. Van R. Kennedy.	200.00
Mrs. Charles Steele	200.00
Mrs. Willard Straight.....	200.00
Mrs. C. B. Taylor.....	200.00
Mrs. James A. Trowbridge.	200.00
Mr. Theodore N. Vail, thro' Mrs. Davison, "The Katherine Vail Marsters Bed".	200.00
Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt, 2 beds "In Memory of Alfred G. Vanderbilt".....	400.00
	$7,900.00

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS

From October 1, 1915 *to October* 1, 1916

INTEREST ON BANK DEPOSITS.

Interest on Certificate of Deposit, Farmers' Loan & Trust Co., May 11, 1915, to November 11, 1915....	$151.23
Interest to December 1, 1915, on checking account	72.10
Interest on Certificate of of Deposit, Farmers' Loan & Trust Co., November 11, 1915, to May 11, 1916....	149.29
Interest on checking account to June 1, 1916.....	80.71
	$453.33

Contribution Box in Babies' Wards	4.51
New York Post-Graduate Hospital, refund for payment of Asst. Nurse's Salary from March 21, 1916, to July 1, 1916.....	165.00
By check 750, duplicate payment to Hill Grippen & Co., check returned and destroyed	4.60
	$627.44

DONATIONS

From October 1, 1915, *to October* 1, 1916, *at the Wards.*

OCTOBER

Miss Baxter, 12 pair of infant's booties; Mrs. H. R. Hoyt, 1 barrel of apples, 1 barrel of potatoes; Miss E. E. Russell $5 for a party for children; Mrs. C. de L. Oelrichs, 2 sweaters, 3 dolls and toys; Mrs. Carlyon Bellairs, $5 for party for children; Miss E. E. Reed, flowers; Mrs. E. H. Outerbridge, basket of pears; Mrs. Amos Morrill, ice cream twice a week during the month.

NOVEMBER

Mrs. E. H. Outerbridge, large box and basket of apples; Mrs. H. I. Cobb, Jr., brace and 2 pair of shoes (worn); Junior Auxiliary Committee (Thanksgiving Dinner): Mrs. J. Frailey Smith, turkey; Mrs. C. E. Brugler, grapes; Miss E. R. Watson, ice cream; Miss M. P. Hayden, cranberries; Mrs. J. B. Macdonald, turkey; Mrs. C. R. Scarborough, oranges; Mrs. E. B. Woodruff, ice cream; Mrs. H. D. Chapin, mottoes and favors; Mrs. W. A. Purrington, crackers and cakes; Mrs. H. Haggerty-Pell, cakes; Mrs. J. Hogan, candy. Needlework Guild of America, 100 garments for children; Miss Davida C. Crain, 5 jackets, 2 wrappers; Mrs. J. Clemens, 33 pink and blue blankets, 24 double crib blankets; Mrs. George Arenti, quantity of clothing (worn); Primary Department of New York Presbyterian Church, 14 linen scrap books; Washington, Conn., Congregational Sunday School, $5 for Thanksgiving dinners.

DECEMBER

Miss Christabelle Crain, 6 knitted jackets; Mrs. C. C. Auchincloss, quantity of clothing (worn); Mrs. F. M. Weld, 10 glasses of Jelly; Mrs. R. E. Tod, rocking horse and toy piano for playroom; Mrs. Donn Barber, 3 afghans; Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, $25 to be used for clothing for poor child in "Baby Franklin" Bed; Miss R. Wyman, box of toys for Christmas tree; Mrs. James Roosevelt, irrigating stand; Miss Grace Scoville, Christmas toys, 6 glasses of jelly; Mrs. Oliver Harriman, quantity of Christmas toys; Mrs. H. P. Davison, Christmas toys; Mrs. Adolphe de Bary, quantity of Christmas toys; Mr. and Mrs. O. Falk (through Dr. S. Lloyd), $10 for Christmas Cheer; Mrs. J. Clemens, quantity of clothing (worn); Washington, Conn., Congregational Sunday School, $7 for Christmas dinners; Master Richard Dakin, crackers and candy for Christmas; Mrs. H. Parish, Jr., 12 Christmas wreaths; Dr. J. McKernon, books and games; Mrs. Amos Morrill, $5 for Christmas Cheer; Mrs. F.

M. Weld, 12 glasses of jelly; Mrs. G. G. Frelinghuysen, 2 dozen oranges, 12 glasses of jelly; Miss J. Forbes, 2 infant's jackets; Miss Sturgis, quantity of Christmas toys; Miss M. Courtney, 3 dolls and box of Christmas toys; Mrs. J. B. MacDonald, dolls for Christmas stockings; Mrs. C. R. Scarborough, dolls for Christmas stockings; Miss M. Courtney, dolls; Miss M. A. Lawrence, cards and scrap book; Mrs. M. Blumenthal, 7 rattles; Dr. J. Bentley Squier, box of books; Mrs. Valentine G. Hall, sponge cakes; Junior Auxiliary Committee (Miss M. P. Hayden, President), Christmas dinner and Christmas stocking for each child; Mrs. J. Frailey Smith, turkey; Miss E. R. Watson, crackers; Miss M. P. Hayden, cranberries; Mrs. J. B. MacDonald, oranges; Mrs. C. R. Scarborough, turkey; Mrs. E. B. Woodruff, ice cream; Mrs. W. A. Purrington, ice cream; Mrs. H. D. Chapin, lady apples; Mrs. H. Haggerty-Pell, lady fingers; Mrs. J. Hogan, candy; Mrs. Phillips, lady fingers; Social Service Committee (Mrs. C. C. Auchincloss, chairman), large Christmas tree for the Zaidee Ward, small Christmas trees for the Jamie, Innocenti and Strollers Wards, Christmas toys for all the children; Dr. H. D. Furniss, $2 for Christmas Cheer; Mrs. James Roosevelt, 36 glasses of jelly; Mrs. G. G. Frelinghuysen, 3 dozen rattles; Capt. D. P. Card, $5 for Christmas dinners; Rag Bag Club (Mrs. J. Burrell), balls and pictures; New York Elk Lodge, quantity of Christmas toys; Mrs. E. H. Outerbridge, 2 small white chairs, scrap book and box of candy.

JANUARY—1916

Mrs. J. A. Hartwell, 60 glasses of jelly; Mrs. J. B. Clemens, 8 bath towels; Miss G. Reier, paper dolls; (no name), 2 boxes of oranges; New York Flower Mission, 80 glasses of jelly; Miss Grace Scoville, 10 flannel squares bound with ribbon; Mr. A. E. Outerbridge, 50 lbs. of prunes; Mrs. von Juch Wellman, 7 knitted caps.

FEBRUARY

Mrs. Oliver Harriman, jelly; Mrs. Henry Parish, Jr., $2 for treat for children; Mrs. F. R. Larkin, 6 caps (for visiting nurse); Miss Ivison, 12 knitted wash cloths; Miss L. Scoville, 6 undervests, 20 pair of stockings (for children leaving the Wards); Mrs. Oliver Harriman, candy for children and nurses; Miss G. Reier, paper dolls and books; Miss Edith Scoville, 6 blankets (for visiting nurse); Miss R. King, clothing (worn); Mrs. G. H. Federlein, $1 for treat for children; The Looking Forward Club (John Wanamaker Co.), valentines; Miss E. Hoyt, ice cream for children and nurses (valentines); "T. M. T. M.," Neighborhood House, valentines; Mrs. Hunt, cap for child leaving the Wards; Miss K. Porter, toys; Mrs. Moses Taylor, flowers and crackers; Social Service Committee, ice cream and

cake for treat on Washington's Birthday; Mrs. H. H. Forber, paper hats and flags for Washington's Birthday; Mrs. Oliver Harriman, jelly; Miss K. Porter, toys.

MARCH

Mrs. C. E. Thorburn, 12 pairs of booties ("In Memoriam"); Mrs. Oliver Hariman, 2 ferns; Miss G. Reier, one dozen diapers; Mr. R. E. Tod, desk for the Zaidee Ward; Mrs. Wm. Manice, one box of oranges; Miss Edith Scoville, 16 petticoats (for visiting nurse); Social Service Committee, ice cream, cake and favors; Mrs. W. E. Denton, clothing (worn); Miss M. Tiffany, crackers; Miss M. Schroeder, books and toys; Miss R. Wood, doll; Miss F. Russell, 2 dolls; Mrs. C. C. Auchincloss, 2 pieces of wide hair ribbon; Miss Helen Rives, clothing (worn).

APRIL

Mrs. Amos Morrill, 1 box of oranges, 12 glasses of jelly, 12 pkgs. of cereal, 1 can of maple syrup, 1 box of Swiss biscuits; Mrs. Wesley G. Vincent, 6 dozen Easter favors, candy and ice cream once a week during May and June; Mrs. W. D. Guthrie, 4 Easter plants; Miss E. E. Russell, Easter plant; Miss M. Courtney, 2 Easter plants; Mrs. F. M. Weld, 4 dozen Easter favors and candy; Social Service Committee, ice cream and cake, 24 Easter plants; Mrs. C. C. Auchincloss, clothing (worn).

MAY

Mrs. J. B. Clemens, uniforms for nurse maid, 4 uniforms, 6 aprons, 6 collars; Mrs. C. C. Auchincloss, box of toys, doll carriage; Mrs. E. H. Outerbridge, 19 pairs of rompers; Mrs. Hunt, toy; Mrs. Robert Clarkson, box of flowers; Dr. J. McKernon, box of toys; Mrs. J. B. Clemens, 4 infant's shirts; Miss Christabelle Crain, 3 knitted jackets; Mrs. P. W. Sexton, 48 glasses of jelly; Miss H. Rives, ice cream and cake (birthday treat); Mrs. E. H. Outerbridge, 7 rompers, 5 dresses, 5 caps, 3 night gowns.

JUNE

Mrs. Moses Taylor, box of flowers; Mrs. M. D. Sterling, box of flowers; Miss Margaret Steward, ice cream and cake (birthday treat); Miss G. Reier, 6 books; Miss E. Remsen, flowers; Miss Adrienne Iselin, flowers each week during the month; Mrs. C. de L. Oelrichs, clothing and toys (worn); Mrs. H. Godwin, 44 quarts of ice cream; Mrs. Courtlandt Nicoll, flowers; Mrs. M. Taylor, flowers; Mrs. O. M. Eidlitz, 4 pounds of barley sugar candy; Miss Harriet Alexander, flowers each week during the month; Mrs. H. Van R. Kennedy, flowers each week

during the month; Mrs. Edmond Frisch, clothing (worn); Mrs. J. A. Hartwell, 16 glasses of jelly.

JULY

Mrs. J. A. Trowbridge, flowers each week during the month; Miss Adrienne Iselin, flowers each week during the month; Miss M. E. Frelinghuysen, ice cream and cake for children and nurses; Mrs. Amos Morrill, ice cream twice a week during July and August; Master Richard Dakin, flowers; Mrs. H. Steers, 24 glasses of jelly; Mrs. Hall, 10 boxes of night lights; Mrs. E. H. Outerbridge, 7 qts. of ice cream, 4 doz. sponge cakes; Mrs. R. H. Laird, ice cream and cake; Miss M. Steward, ice cream and cake.

AUGUST

Dr. L. Putzel, fruit and toys; Mrs. C. F. Hall, flowers each week during the month; Mrs. J. A. Trowbridge, flowers each week during the month.

SEPTEMBER

Dr. J. S. Wall, porcelain plac of "Innocenti Bambini"; Mr. S. Meyer, large box of doll furniture; Mrs. J. A. Trowbridge, flowers each week during the month; Social Service Committee, ice cream and cake; Mrs. Wm. Manice, ice cream once a week for four months; Master Richard Dakin, flowers; Mrs. Orme Wilson, Jr., barrel of pears; Rock House Club, 33 pairs of stockings, 4 shirts, 2 pairs of drawers, 1 dress, 1 pair of slippers; Mrs. Donn Barber, flowers.

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I give and bequeath to the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital, incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York, the sum of..... ..... Dollars, to be applied to the uses and purposes of the Babies' Wards of said corporation.